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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION OF SEPTEMBER 9, 2005**

In response to the final rejection of September 9, 2005, please amend the claims as shown on the attached claim page: